COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF MIKE)

LITTLE GAS COMPANY., TO) CASE NO. 7157-K

INCREASE ITS RETAIL GAS)

RATES

ORDER

On December 6, 1978, the Commission issued its Order in Case No. 7176 approving certain adjustments in rates and providing under certain conditions for the further adjustment of such rates when the wholesale cost of gas in increased or decreased.

On March 11, 1983, Mike Little Gas Company, Inc., ("Mike Little") notified the Commission that its wholesle cost of gas would be decreased by its supplier Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company ("Kentucky West") effective March 2, 1983, and submitted with its notice certain information in compliance with its purchased gas adjustment clause on file with this Commission.

After reviewing the record filed in this case and being advised, the Commission is of the opinion and finds that:

(1) Mike Little's notice of March 11, 1983, set out certain revisions in rates which Mike Little proposed to place into effect, said rates being designed to pass on to its customers the wholesale decrease in cost in the amount of \$18,865 or 20.02 cents per Mcf.

(2) Mike Little's adjustment in rates under the purchased gas adjustment provisions approved by the Commission in its Order in Case No. 7176 dated December 6, 1978, is fair, just and reasonable and in the public interest and should be effective with gas supplied on and after March 2, 1983.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the rates in Appendix A be and they hereby are approved effective for gas supplied on and after March 2, 1983.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that for the purpose of the future application of the purchased gas adjustment clause the base rates for purchased gas shall be:

Kentucky West Virginia Gas Company \$3.3576 per dth

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, within 30 days of the date
of this Order, Mike Little shall file with this Commission its
revised tariffs setting out the rates authorized herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 25th day of March, 1983.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman Ratherine Pandall

ATTEST:

Commissioner

Secretary

APPENDIX A

APPENDIX TO AN ORDER OF THE PUBLIC

SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. 7176-K DATED MARCH 25, 1983.

The following rates are prescribed for the customers in the area served by Mike Little Gas Company, Inc. All other rates and charges not specifically mentioned herein shall remain the same as those in effect under authority of the Commission prior to the date of this Order.

RATES: Monthly

First 2 Hcf \$5.1807 per Mcf
Next 28 Mcf 4.9807 per Mcf
Over 30 Mcf 4.9307 per Mcf

Minimum Bill: \$5.1807